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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/20/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 01/27/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/20/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 05/20/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/20/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 01/27/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/20/2005

Applicant's response filed 01/27/2006 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 01/04/2006 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. The current translation of the application into English is defective
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 priority date.
 - The number of claims in the International Application and the number of claims in the translation are not the same.

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